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PLATT'S BIG BLUFF.

The New Yorker Threatens a Bolt

IF HIS MEN ARE REJECTED

As Delegates to the St. Louis Convention.

MARK HANNA NOT DISTURBED.

Dissatisfaction Over the Contests Before the Committee.

THE SHOOTERS ARRIVING.

ST. LOUIS, June 12.—None of the large delegations have arrived in the city yet. The delegates now in the city are simply those who have come ahead of the state delegations to arrange matters for the delegations from states where there may be contests.

By Saturday or Sunday night the big delegations will arrive. New York is expected Sunday night, as also Ohio and Pennsylvania. Illinois will be here Monday. They are expected on special trains with brass bands and banners, and propose to wake the dead when they get here. The Blaine club, of Cincinnati, with 600 rosters for McKinley, will come on a decorated train Sunday night.

A second special train will bring 500 members of the Lincoln Club, of the same place. Senator Foraker and the Cincinnati end of the delegation will come on this train. The Lincoln Club, of Toledo will arrive Sunday night, with 300 shooters for McKinley. Most of the Ohio delegation will come on this train. Among them will be Jas. R. Garfield and Webb Hayes, sons of former presidents. The Tippecanoe Club of Cleveland, with 700 howlers, will arrive either Sunday night or Monday morning. The Buckeye Club of Columbus, Ohio, with Governor Bushnell and staff and many delegates will arrive Sunday night.

The Topeka Flambeau club, with their red paint and light, will be here Monday. The McKinley clubs, of Evansville, Ind., Detroit, Minneapolis, Chicago and Leavenworth, Kansas, will arrive Sunday night. The Marquette club, of Chicago, will get in Monday morning, and the Americus club, of Pittsburg, will arrive either Sunday night or Monday morning, so that the town will be full of howling marchers by Monday noon. Great preparations are being made to receive the delegates and clubs as they arrive, and a lively time may be expected Monday.

PLATFORM TALK.

Henry Cabot Lodge, who is talked of for chairman of the committee on platform and resolutions, has telegraphed to Murray Crane, the national committeeman from Massachusetts, to rally the friends of the gold standard. Mr. Lodge said that no evasion would be tolerated, and that a straddle would be disgraceful. He said the Indiana platform, which has been popular in certain circles for the past few days, would not be acceptable. The Indiana platform, so-called, declares for the best money known to the world, and pronounces emphatically against the free and unlimited coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1.

It has been suggested to amend this declaration by striking out the words "at a ratio of 16 to 1," so that the paragraph would read "unalterably opposed to the free and unlimited

coinage of silver." It was argued that if the words "at a ratio of 16 to 1," were kept in the platform it might be construed to mean that the Republicans were in favor of the free coinage of silver at some other ratio. There has been so much talk about this Indiana platform that the suspicion gained ground that the McKinley people were in favor of it. Nothing definite or authoritative, however, can be had from those supposed to represent McKinley. The supporters of the Ohio man from the East declare that McKinley is in favor of the gold standard. The supporters of McKinley from the West insist that he is in favor of the largest use of silver consistent with the maintenance of the two metals. Mr. Hanna, who could settle the uncertainty in a few moments, declines to speak. There is no doubt that the dispute will be taken into the convention. It cannot be settled in the committee.

John R. Tanner, candidate for governor of Illinois on the Republican ticket, has thrown down the gauntlet to the free-silver Republicans. In an interview with a reporter he declared emphatically for the gold standard, and said that the platform to be adopted by this convention should not hold out the slightest hope for the silver Republicans.

THE PLATFORM IS WRITTEN.

The financial plank upon which the advocates of gold and silver will join issue in the committee on resolutions of the Republican national convention has, so it is said, been already drafted and received the approval of many men eminent in finance. Its author is R. W. Patterson, publisher of Chicago Tribune and son-in-law of the distinguished Joseph Medill. He is one of the four delegates at large to St. Louis and has already been practically selected as the representative of the state delegation on the committee on resolutions, which place would have been given to William Penn Nixon, editor of the Inter Ocean, but for the fact that the latter is an ardent bimetalist and has opened his columns liberally to the free silver element.

The exact terms of Delegate Patterson's resolution are known only to the chosen few who have been consulted on the subject, but it is known that it declares unequivocally for a single gold standard, and it is understood that it follows closely on the lines of the pronouncements of the Republicans of New York and other eastern states in convention assembled. Unless material changes are made within the next ten days, the guess is hazarded that the resolution in its wording will not materially differ from the following:

"We recognize in the movement of the free coinage of silver an attempt to degrade the long-established standard of our monetary system, and hence a blow to public and private credit at once costly to the national government and harmful to our domestic and foreign commerce. Until therefore, the prospect presents itself of an international agreement relating to silver coinage, and so long as gold remains the standard of the United States and of the civilized world, the Republican party through its representatives in national convention assembled, declares itself in favor of the firm and honorable maintenance of that standard."

ST. LOUIS, June 12.—Today there was in circulation a report that Thos. C. Platt declared his intention of bolting, if the six contestants from New York should be seated. It was learned from members of the national committee that Platt men would be thrown out and other men placed on the temporary roll. Platt's remark

was reported to Hanna today. "I shall not get excited over this, even if Platt said it," Hanna remarked. When assured that Platt had made the remark, he was not disturbed. Other friends of McKinley said that Platt was putting up a grand bluff.

SLOW PROGRESS IN CONTESTS.

The national committee met at 10:45 today. On motion of Scott of West Virginia, the time for presentation of cases of claimants, to seats, was reduced from 15 to 10 minutes, by a vote of 25 to 19. Scott said it was clear at the present rate of progress of the committee that they would be engaged entirely too long. Only sixty of 188 seats in contest, have been awarded.

DEED WILL FIGHT.

WASHINGTON, June 12.—The friends of Speaker Reed in Washington said today, they would continue the fight to the end. The speaker had been in telegraphic communication with his friends at St. Louis. He asked them to go into the fight and they have responded, they will all stick to him. The speaker's most intimate friends are indignant at Hanna, and say his admission of defeat, will demoralize the fight which is to be made for a straight gold platform, under the leadership of Senator Lodge.

PLATT IS HOT.

ST. LOUIS, June 12.—The associated press reported today that Platt said he had not spoken particularly of the New York contests, but upon the whole proceeding in the committee. "They are riding roughshod over everything," he said. "The question of Man's title to a seat was not considered on its merits, but as to his position on presidential candidates."

LOUISIANA DELEGATES SEATED.

ST. LOUIS, June 12.—Kellogg, and the delegates at large, from Louisiana were seated. This decision virtually settles all district contests. Two of the delegates seated are for McKinley, two for Reed.

In The Pit.

CHICAGO, June 12.—There was re-enactment for about half an hour today of the excitement of yesterday afternoon in the wheat pit. Fluctuations were less violent than day before, but the traders were made nervous by yesterday's experience and acted wildly, three or four different prices being paid in the pit at the same time. People with orders to sell at 58c could not find buyers, while brokers were shouting bids at 58 1/2 in another part of the crowd. The result was that in a few minutes brokers, finding it impossible to do business, gave up the attempt and the market soon simmered down to comparative quietness, though decidedly nervous.

Three Runaways Caught.

WOODBURN, June 12.—Three runaways from the Indian school at Chemawa were captured here. They were Willie and Frank Ward, aged 9 and 11 years, and Tommy Smith, aged 10 years. They left Chemawa at 6 o'clock, and footed it all the way to Woodburn, reaching here at 4:30 p. m., without having had anything to eat. They were bound for their homes, which they claim are on the Columbia river. Tommy Smith, who did all the talking, said they ran away because some of the older boys beat and abused them. Being asked as to their treatment by Superintendent Potter, they said that he was a good man and treated them kindly. Marshal Broyles took them back on the evening train.

Fatal Fire.

PITTSBURG, June 12.—At a fire this morning in a tenement house in Allegheny, Mrs. Zoesbondia Garbels, aged 74 was killed by jumping from a window. Frank Garbels, aged 5, suffocated. Little Garbels aged 12, internally hurt and may die. Frank Garbels, badly burned. The fire was caused by the explosion of a barrel of oil.

The best and cheapest meals always at Strong's restaurant. Don't forget the old stand.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Hanged.

FOLSOM, Cal., June 12.—John Craig, three times a murderer, was hanged at Folsom prison, at 10:32 today. There could not have been a more perfect execution. The condemned man was completely resigned to his fate, and walked to the gallows as coolly as though going to a wedding.

As Craig stood on the gallows waiting for the attendants to strap his feet he looked down at the faces upturned at him from the floor below, and his eyes fell on J. Hunter, one of the sons of the old couple whom Craig so cruelly butchered two years ago. No sooner did Craig see Hunter, than he gave a sudden start and riveted his eyes full upon him and slowly shook his head.

He then said in a voice that could be heard throughout the room: "Oh, Joe, I love you." He then raised his eyes to heaven and closing them, remained in that position until the trap was sprung.

Following appears in the call for the Union Bimetallic state convention: "Only those who have tasted the sweets of such a union of the plain people can realize its real pleasure, and only those who have tried can realize how easy it can be accomplished. The jealousies and distrust will vanish when this second most momentous question that has come before the people, in the history of the republic is presented. The people can be trusted and they will trust each other." It will now be in order for the organs of the New York sound money committee to denounce Col. Cooper, of McMinnville, as an anarchist, a socialist, a Populist, a silverite a whatnot and a political athropolophite! That will settle him and the plain people.

CHURCH MEETING.—Last evening at the adjourned annual meeting of the First Baptist church the affairs of that society were found to be in the most prosperous condition, and the membership as well as the pastor able to congratulate themselves upon the good results of the year's work just past. The following officers were elected: C. E. Reynolds, clerk; Mrs. H. H. Thompson, treasurer; H. T. Bruce, usher; Judge J. J. Shaw, Chas. Culvert and W. L. Wade, advisory trustees.

NOW IS YOUR CHANCE.—Before shipping the remaining stock of pianos to Portland we would invite contemplating purchasers to call to-day and we will make you a price that will make you scratch your head to refuse our offer. This is brief but to the point. The Wiley B. Allen Co., 235 Commercial street.

THE CAUSE OF IT.—A friend tells us that he recently went into the store of a business man who did not advertise and was surprised to find him busy. The storekeeper, it transpired, had the itch and a Waterbury watch, and when he wasn't scratching himself he was winding his watch.

WAS IT A FIRE?—This morning the crowd saw great clouds of white smoke, but upon investigation no fire was found. A crowd was smoking La Corona cigars, and of course they were happy.

SUNDAY DINNER.—Of course you want the choicest fruits and vegetables, so be sure to order of H. M. Branson & Co., for none can equal theirs.

PROF. W. H. BOYER.—Portland's favorite tenor, will assist in the creation Monday evening at the M. E. church. 100 voices in the chorus.

SHORT ORDERS.—Westcott & Irwin will be prepared to serve short order meals to the vast crowd at the fair grounds Sunday, at the great conductor's picnic.

DO YOU WANT?—Sand for your garden, gravel for your walks, or any kind of building material? Go to the Salem Improvement Co.

ALL THE TIME.—Every day 8 a. m. to 9 p. m. ring the blue boxes or telephone for a bicycle messenger.

When you play politics with the single gold standard man, look out for loaded dice. He wins if he loses.

Rotten Tom Platt, with his rotten New York primaries ought to be kicked out at St. Louis.

Reed is still in the presidential race. He is the candidate with brains and backbone.

JOURNAL "X" RAYS.

Directed Upon Persons Prominent Before the Public.

It is Claud Gatch, Mayor Gatch Bank Clerk Gatch; but is not Banker Gatch.

Why doesn't Dr. Cusick try running his bank with nothing but gold for a month?

And now Speaker Reed's presidential boom has been punctured by a fool friend.

Barkley is in Ohio! It is perfectly safe to appear on the streets Mr. O'D'Arcy.

Simon elects three senators and five representatives in Portland. But that is not all he will try to own.

Lawyer Geo. G. Bingham loves to labor free gratis for the poor—hence his offer to act for the city vs. Albert.

If John McKinley had changed his politics he could still be in favor with the "only Republican organ."

That dangerous man Barkley is out of the state. He is in Ohio and the purifiers of the Republican party breathe easier.

Smith & Co., are now such a crop, they shade the ground and will grow until November without irrigation or cultivation.

Members of the next legislature should consult a constituent occasionally. Not all the good and pure political ideas come from Portland.

There is not much crowing and jubilation over Tongue's alleged victory of 72. We had expected to see the bonfires blaze and hear the orators blate.

It is going to be hard to corral that soap-maker, Col. J. C. Cooper, of McMinnville, post commander of the G. A. R. of Oregon, the leader of the Union Bimetallic party of Oregon.

It should be explained that Banker Albert lives nearer to Lawyer Bingham than he does to Mayor Gatch. In case of showing more affection for the former, this must be considered.

Geo. H. Bingham charged the county so much for attending to its business in the Oregon Pacific tax case, his conscience hurts him and he is going to serve the city free in the Albert street suit.

The people must be hard up when 3000 turned out at Cornelius, Washington county, to listen to General Jacob Coxey, when they might have been listening to as able a man as Tom Tongue.

In the battle of extermination between Banker Albert and Street Commissioner Culver, the public can only say:

"Charge, Chester, charge! On Stanley, on!"

Banker Albert has no scruples in certain contingencies; he would make mince-meat of Salem's street commissioner. Would he not be depriving the city of a very valuable man, merely to give himself a little diversion?

United States Senator John H. Gear, of Iowa, was for many years a business man, and a successful one. In fact he is known as "Old Business." He is a delegate to St. Louis and does not believe the Republican platform will declare for gold.

In great seriousness THE JOURNAL pleads for moderation between Jo. Albert and Street Commissioner Culver. The families of either would feel cheap to have to go into mourning over the title to a little strip of gravel on Mission street.

Lawyer Bingham is sharp in getting on as city attorney in a division line controversy where the rest of the abutting property owners are Bankers Albert and Bush, the State of Oregon, Governor Lord and some more poor people.

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